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speech in the Virginia Convention.

Bayne, on Friday, arose to speak on the franchise question, and confined himself for some time to the attempt to prove that the white race was the inferior one of the two.—He tried to prove that the Egyptians and antediluvians were negroes, and that the white man, until somewhat in de book of Kings, in de Ole Testament, he believed, whar some man whar dey couldn't git de truth out'en, went out and become white as a leopard. Dat was de first time de white man was ever heard on in de Bible. But de white folks was like de horse dat de Orrishman sold to a man, an tote him he was all right, and when de man got home he found de horse blind in both eyes. When he come back to de Orrishman, de Orrishman say: "Oh faith, ef de horse is blind, dat's his misfortune and not his fault." "Tis der misfortune and not der fault dat dey was white. He spoke of reading and writing, and said, in ole times, nobody couldn't write, and everybody read and wrote by geographial figures. He asserted that all the arts and sciences had their origin from the black man; dat music come from him, and he could outsing anything in God Almighty's world.—He did not like to go on in this way, but he would do it because he didn't know when he was going to git another show at 'em. He continued with his usual clap-trap, bringing up, as he said, the historical point, until his hour and a half expired. In conclusion, he told the story of the mill purchased by the captain. A man wanted to sell a mill which would grind anything he want—all he had to do was to say "grind salt," and salt would come; "grind sugar," and out it come; "grind flour," and out it come. De captain stole de mill, and carried it off to sea; and when he got there he started it to grindin salt, but he didn't know de counterpart, and it kept on grindin, and he couldn't stop it; and it kept on grindin and grindin until it filled de ship, and drowned it, and de captain and all hands; and it kept on grindin and grindin until it filled de sea; and we got salt to dis day. This was de way with the affairs in these days. The mill had ground out Nat Turner, it ground out John Brown, Abraham Lincoln, and a host of yuthers; it had ground out this war, it had ground the rebels to the war, and it would keep on grindin and grindin until it had got 'em where they ought to be.

About Wheels.

"ONE REVOLUTION OR TWO?"

To the American Artisan:

I assert that if a moving wheel is keyed on to its axis like a wheelbarrow wheel, it will revolve but once on its axis in going round a stationary wheel, because the axis also goes around the stationary wheel once. But if the wheel is not keyed on to its axis, and the axis is held firm (so that it cannot turn on itself) by a connection separate from the centre wheel, there will then be two revolutions of the revolving wheel on its axis.

HENRY N. STONE.

Boston, Mass., February 12, 1888.

[The number of revolutions which the moving wheel will make on its axis in rolling once around the fixed wheel will be two, whether the wheel is "keyed on" or "not keyed on."—The original question was very well and directly put; and it requires a simple and direct answer, without entering into any question as to the kind of wheel.]—*Editors Am. Artisan.*

This question has been discussed by the scientific papers for nine months.

THE VALLEY OF VIRGINIA.—It may surprise the reader, but we believe it is true, as declared by the Charlestown Free Press, that the Valley of Virginia is the only section of this whole country, North, South, East or West, from which no complaints are heard of hard times, scarcity and suffering.—While, as that journal says, the starving thousands of the far South, and the struggling crowds of the dispossessed workmen of the North, send up a piteous wail of woe and want, only peaceful quiet and almost universal plenty reign in the favored Valley. Business is growing more and more brisk—the farming interest each year more extensive; stock raising increasing; fences being rebuilt; tenants multiplying—while with the increase of energy, laborers and home productions, the amount of capital of course grows in proportion, and the money market becomes easier. To say, continues the Free Press, that, in such tight times as these all over the land, there is absolutely no want or need here, would be an exaggeration, but we do assert,—and the assertion will not lack confirmation,—that there is not a section of this whole country more free from distress or privation, and in a greater state of prosperity than the Shenandoah Valley of Virginia.

THE PRESIDENT AND THE NEWSPAPER CORRESPONDENTS.—We find, says the Washington Evening Express, the following in the Richmond Enquirer of the 19th instant. We have repeatedly expressed similar opinions. It is out of place for the President of the United States to permit himself to be "pumped" by those who design laying his conversations before the public. If he has any communications to make let him do it by official message or private letter, and not put himself at the mercy of men who, however estimable, are apt to care for a striking paragraph than strict accuracy.

"We regret that the President still permits the 'Washington correspondents' of nearly all the leading journals of the country to use him as if he were a common pump. Every day some impudent Bohemian takes his note-book, goes to the White House, and fills it with columns of Presidential outpourings from the mouth of the loquacious Chief Magistrate of the nation. These conversations are reported with more or less profanity, and they sometimes fill three or four columns of a newspaper. For some weeks past they have contained nothing new, and they are not consistent with the dignity of the President's high office."

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DENTIST,
No. 88, Duke street,
(Two doors above Royal street.)
ALEXANDRIA, VA.

feb 15-4f
JAMES B. HODGKIN,
DENTIST,
WASHINGTON ST., NEAR KING,
(Near of Milburn's Drug store.)
ALEXANDRIA, VA.

feb 12
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jan 31-1m

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jan 30-3m

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ALEXANDRIA, VA.

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nov 20-4f

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jan 7-1f

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aug 7-1f

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ALEXANDRIA, VA.

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jan 1-1f

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AND UNCURRENT MONEY.

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It is sold by all wholesale and retail dealers in drugs and medicines throughout the United States, and by

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SALT! **SALT!** **SALT!**

500 sacks Doak's Salt.

300 " Marshall's " In store and for sale by

1200 " G. A. Salt. W. A. SMOOT & CO.,

No. 3, King street.

feb 3

NOTICE.

ALEXANDRIA, Feb. 1, 1888.

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The business will hereafter be conducted in the name of GEORGE H. ROBINSON & SON.

feb 1

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No. 88, King street.

jan 31

PATEY'S SUPERIOR COLD CREAM, for Softening and Beautifying the Skin, and preventing it from chapping; and Bazin's Charcoal Tooth Paste, for clearing the Teeth and Gums and purifying the breath, received and for sale by

WARFIELD & HALL, Druggists,
dec 24

CUMBERLAND COAL,

IN ANY QUANTITY.

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No. 3, King street.

feb 1

PURE BAKER WHISKY.—Another supply of this superior Whisky, unequalled by any in the market, received this day and for sale by

W. A. SMOOT & CO.,
226, King st., cor. Alfred.

jan 18

THOMASTON LIME.

100 casks fresh THOMASTON LIME, for sale by

LEWIS MCKENZIE,
Union street.

jan 13

GROCERIES.

HARRIE HOUGH, G. WM. RAMSAY,
HOUGH & RAMSAY,
GROCERS,
No. 147, King street, Alexandria, Va.
Highest market price paid for Country Produce. Always on hand a choice stock of English and American Pickles and Sauces, Canned Fruits and Vegetables, Sardines, Pine Apples and Eastern Dairy Cheese, Pickles, Tubs, Brushes, Baskets and Willow Ware generally.
jan 30-1y

J. CLINTON MILBURN,
FAMILY GROCER,
AND DEALER IN
FINE TEAS, WINES, LIQUORS & CIGARS,
Corner Cameron and Royal Streets,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Particular attention paid to the selection of Choice Flour and Teas.
my 28-1f

DAVY & HARMON,
GROCERS, FEED,
AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
Corner of Prince and Royal Sts.,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
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my 9-1f

F. RECKER
DEALER IN
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, WINES,
LIQUORS, &c., &c.,
COR. KING & ST. ASAPH STS.
Country Produce bought at the highest market price.
Goods delivered to any part of the city free of charge.
my 6-1f

F. G. SWAINE,
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[2 doors south of old stand.]
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GROCERIES, WINES & LIQUORS,
which he will sell cheap for cash.
fe 26

GREGORY & PAUL,
WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
GROCERIES, FLOUR AND BACON,
Nos. 27 and 29, KING STREET,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
ap 14-1f

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FOR SALE ON THE POPULAR
ONE PRICE PLAN.
GIVING EVERY PATRON A
HANDSOME AND RELIABLE WATCH!
For the low Price of Ten Dollars
WITHOUT REGARD TO VALUE,
And not to be paid for unless perfectly satisfactory.

100 Solid Gold Hunting Watches, \$250 to \$1,000
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200 Gold Hunting English Levers, 200 to 250
300 Gold Hunting Duplex Watches, 150 to 200
500 Gold Hunting Amer. Watches, 100 to 250
500 Silver Hunting Levers, 50 to 150
500 Silver Hunting Duplexes, 75 to 250
500 Gold Hunting Levers, 50 to 75
2,000 Miscellaneous Silver Watches, 50 to 100
1,500 Hunting Silver Watches, 35 to 50
5,000 Assorted Watches, all kinds, 10 to 75

Every patron obtains a Watch by this arrangement, costing but \$10, while it may be worth \$1,000. No partiality shown.

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Importers, 161, Broadway,
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sep 28-6m

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oct 19

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Price 25c per package.
Prepared only by
CLOTWORTHY & CO., Baltimore.

Also, RAT KILLER, HORSE AND CATTLE POWDERS—the best in use.

For sale by **JANNEY & CO.,** 145, King st. And **E. S. LEADBEATER & CO.,**

nov 16-6m

SKATES!

Just received, at 88, King street, a supply of Skates for Ladies and Gentlemen, of assorted sizes, to which we ask the attention of purchasers.

JOHN T. CREIGHTON & SON.
dec 16

RECEIVED TO-DAY—1 hhd. and 2 boxes

prime and good Brown Sugar; 10 sacks Green Rio Coffee; 3 sacks White Rio Coffee; 1 sack Old Java Coffee; 15 boxes Adamantine Candles; 2 boxes Paraffine Candles; 1 hhd. P. R. Molasses; fine Cheating Tobacco. Also, Navy Tobacco, &c., &c., for sale low by

J. C. MILBURN.
feb 1

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feb 1-1m

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Medical Examiner.
feb 11-3m

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I refer by permission, to Messrs. G. H. Robinson, J. S. Knox, Thomas Perry, or any of the leading business men of the city.

LEWIS H. WINGFIELD.
Dr. M. M. LEWIS, Med. Ex. feb 11-3m

MANHATTAN LIFE INSURANCE CO.,
GWIN, BECKHAM & CO.,
AGENTS.
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MEDICAL EXAMINER.
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(Between Fairfax and Water.)
ap 22

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HOOE & WEDDERBURN
Agents, Alexandria, Va.

ap 18-1f

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MERCHANT TAILORS,
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feb 15-1f

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He invites his friends and customers to call and examine his stock.

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mar 16-1f

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Pure Lehigh, warranted.
Lorberry Red Ash, from original mine.
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All orders, left at 26, King street, will be punctually attended to.
aug 5-6m

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Alexandria, Va., Dec. 10, 1887.

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HOUGH & RAMSAY,
for the purpose of carrying on a GENERAL GROCERY BUSINESS, at No. 147, King st.

HARRIE HOUGH,
G. WM. RAMSAY.

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dec 20

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feb 21-1y

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